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SUBJ: ADVANCE WORK - HOSPITAL/MEDICAL EQUIPMENT TRADE

MISSION

BIC/SPECIAL PROJECTS - WASON

1. ADVANCE WORK ALGIERS COMPLETED. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS APPROVED AND MINISTRY OF HEALTH IS RECEPTIVE BUT FINAL ARRANGE-ME NTS MUST AWAIT RETURN OF HEALTH MINISTER FROM MOSCOW.

2. MISSION TO STAY HOTEL ST. GEORGE.. POST CONTROL OFFICER: RALPH H. GRANER, COMMERCIAL ATTACHE. OFFICE PHONE: 60-14-25/29 AND 60-36-70/72. HOME PHONE 78-42-27

3. ITINERARY

SUNDAY, MAY 19

20:45 - 22:43 -ARRIVE FROM CASABLANCA VIA
TUNIS AIR FLIGHT 712 - SCHEDULED FOR 20:45 ARRIVAL PROBABLY
ACTUAL AT 22:45.
WILL BE MET BY COMMERCIAL ATTACHE AND USINT CARS FOR
TRANSPORT TO HOTEL ST. GEORGE.

SHORT WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION TO ALGIERS AND UNCLASSIFIED

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PRESENTATION WITH KIT CONTAING SCHEDULE, PROGRAM AND

LOCAL INFORMATION.

MONDAY, MAY 20

08:45 DEPART BY BUS TO USINT.

 $09{:}00$ - $10{:}00$ $\;\;$ BRIEFING BY CHIEF OF USINT EAGLETON AND STAFF.

10:00 - 12:00 TOUR OF MAJOR HEALTH INSTITUTIONS

ARRANGED BY MINISTRY OF HEALTH OFFICIALS.

12:00 - 14:30 LUNCH.

14:30 - 18:00 WORKSHOP AND SEMINAR SESSION BEGINS IN MINISTRY OF HEALTH CONFERENCE ROOM.

18:00 - 18:15 RETURN TO HOTEL BY BUS.

18:45 - 20-45 RECEPTION BY CHIEF OF USINT AT RESIDENCE-TRANSPORT BY BUS.

21:00 DINNER (POSSIBLE INVITATION BY MINISTRY OF HEALTH) OR FREE.

TUESDAY, MAY 21

08:45 DEPART BY BUS TO MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

09:00 - 12:00 CONT CONTINUE WORKSHOP-SEMINAR.

12:00 - 14:30 LUNCH.

14:30 - 18:00 CONTINUE WORKSHIP-SEMINAR AND/OR GROUP AND INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS WITH HEALTH MINISTRY OFFICIALS.

18:00 - 18:15 RETURN TO HOTEL BY BUS.

18:45 THERE MAY BE A RECIPROCAL RECEPTION BY UNCLASSIFIED

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MINISTRY OF HEALTH - OR FREE.

21:00 IF MINISTRY OF HEALTH HAS DINNER MAY 20 THEN MISSION WILL HOST A RECIPROCAL DINNER FOR KEY OFFICIALS - OR FREE.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

09:00 - 12:00 GROUP AND INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS, OR FOLLOW-UP, OR FREE.

12:00 - 14:00 LUNCH AND PREPARATIONS FOR DEPARTURE.

13:30 DEPART FOR AIRPORT BY BUS.

DEPART FOR TUNIS VIA AIR ALGERIE FLIGHT AH 4630 AT 15:15 ARRIVING TUNIS 17:20.

4. FOURTEEN SINGLES AND ONE SUITE HAVE BEEN RESERVED FOR THREE NIGHTS AT HOTEL ST. GEORGE MAY 19-21. SINGLE ROOMS VARY UP TO DOLS. 35 INCLUDING TAX AND SERVICE. RESERVATIONS TO BE ADJUSTED TO FINAL MISSION SIZE.

5. AGREED TO BUDGET AS FOLLOWS:

ESTIMATED COMMERCE BUDGET IN DOLLARS

TRANSPORTATION

BUS 3-DAYS AT \$100 300.00

DRIVER OVERTIME (AIRPORT ARRIVAL) 60.00

INTERPRETERS 300.00

DIRECTORS SUITE 3 NIGHTS AT \$50 150.00

PHOTOGRAPHER 75.00

MISCELLANEOUS 50.00

TOTAL 935.00

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ESTIMATE REPRESENTATION BUDGET

RECEPTION 150.00

INVITATIONS (PRINGING) 15.00

COFFEE BREAKS (SEMINAR) 50.00

DINNER (PROPOSED) 600.00

REFRESHMENTS IN SUITE 35.00

TOTAL 850.00

6. AGREED THAT ADDITIONAL COMMITTMENT OF DOLS. 225 WILL BE REQUESTED BY CABLE FOR PRINTING BIO-BROCHURE WITHOUT PICTURES IF IN JUDGMENT OF POST CONTROL OFFICER BROCHURES PRINTED IN CASABLANCA WILL NOT RPT NOT ARRIVE IN TIME. BUDGET FUNDS AVAILABLE EITHER IN REPRESENTATION FUNDS OR COMMERCE FUNDS WITHDRAWN FROM MOROCCO.

7. BOTH 35 MM SLIDE AND 16MM MOVIE PROJECTORS ARE LOCALLY AVAILABLE. SUGGEST SLIDES BE CARDBOARD MOUNT NOT THICK MOUNT. HAVE PROPOSED FRIGITRONICS FILM TO HEALTH MINISTRY - FAVORABLE BUT NO DECISION.

8 USINT WILL PROVIDE MESSAGE CENTER AND SECRETARIAL ASSISTANCE AT EMBASSY WITHIN WORKING HOURS.

9. BROCHURE COVERS AND MOST COMPANY LITERATURE RECEIVED. NO RPT NO LIT FROM DRAKE-WILCOX, CARRETT, IHF, OR GOMCO.

10. REMIND MISSION MEMBERS THAT PASSPORTS MUST NOT RPT NOT BEAR STAMPS FROM ISRAEL, RHODESIA, PORTUGAL OR SOUTH AFRICA. ALGERIAN VISAS MUST BE APPLIED FOR WELL IN ADVANCE.

11. USINT COMMENT: WOULD BE HIGHLY USEFUL TO MAINTAIN CONTINUITY BY HAVING BICKELHAUPT RETURN WITH MISSION. SIMPSON UNCLASSIFIED

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